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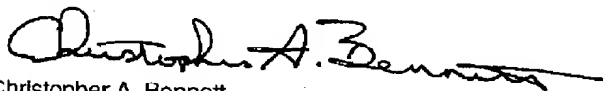
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Please find attached the following documents for the above-identified application:

1. Amendment;
2. RCE;
3. Credit card form payment in the amount of \$770.00;
4. Petition for four-month extension of time;
5. Credit card payment form in the amount of \$1,480.00; and
6. Information Disclosure Statement.

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Sonia V. McVean**PATENT**  
36856.478**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Takashi IWAMOTO et al.	Art Unit: 2834
Serial No.: 09/847,989	
Filed: May 3, 2001	Examiner: P Cuevas
Title: SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE	

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 18, 2002 and further to the Notice of Appeal filed on June 18, 2003, the period for response to which has been extended to December 18, 2003, by the accompanying Petition for Four-Month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page **2** of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page **5** of this paper
- Please note, if a box is not checked, then no corresponding amendment is being made.